



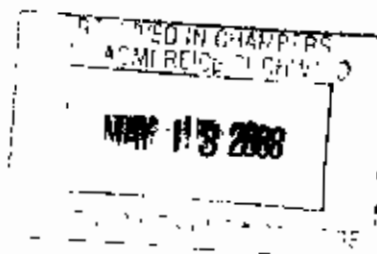
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The Honorable Naomi Reice Buchwald  
United States District Court  
Southern District of New York  
500 Pearl Street  
New York, New York 10007

Re: United States v. Gustavo Estrada Rodriguez, 07 Cr. 712 (NRB)

Dear Judge Buchwald:

The Government writes, on behalf of the Government and counsel for Gustavo Estrada Rodriguez, to respectfully request an adjournment of the conference in this matter, currently scheduled for May 13, 2008 at 3:30 p.m., to June 27, 2008, or a date convenient for the Court after the third week of June 2008.

The Government respectfully requests that time be excluded for purposes of the Speedy Trial Act between May 13, 2008 and the new conference date. This will permit the Government and the defense to continue discussions concerning a possible disposition of this matter without the need for trial. The Government makes this request with the consent of counsel for the defendant.

*The conference is adjourned until June 25, 2008 at 4:30 p.m. So Ordered.*

Respectfully Submitted,

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